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The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, FEB. 6, 1864.

A Romance of Royalty.

[From the "Spectator."]

"The late monarch of Denmark was born October 6, 1808, twelve months after the bombardment of Copenhagen by the British fleet, at the time when the crown of Denmark did not seem to be worth many years' purchase. His father, too, was but the cousin of the reigning King, who had two daughters, and being only 40 years of age, had hopes of still possessing male offspring. Under these circumstances the prospects of young Prince Frederick appeared not to be particularly brilliant; and his father being a proud though singularly unostentatious man, he was left almost entirely to himself, and permitted to grow up among peasants, sailors and soldiers, from whom he imbibed strongly democratic tastes. When only 4 years of age a great misfortune befel the poor boy. His parents, after several years of unhappiness, were separated by a divorce, which decreed that he should be torn from his affectionate mother and be left under the care of strangers. Among strangers accordingly he grew up, his father being so entirely engrossed by political affairs, in the course of which the crown of Norway was placed on his head for four short months, as almost to forget the existence of his son. A new marriage, which gave Frederick a step-mother, estranged the paternal feelings still more, and the young prince was glad enough when, at the age of 16, he was permitted to leave Denmark on travels through Europe, nominally to complete his education, in reality to begin it. He duly made the then customary *tour de l'Europe;* and then settled down for several years at Geneva. Here, in the country of Jean Jacques Rousseau, he imbibed ultra-Republican principles, for the reception of which his previous training, or absence of training, had admirably well fitted him. With these ideas Prince Frederick went back to Denmark, at the age of 20. Things, meanwhile, had changed at the Danish Court, in regard to the succession to the throne. The reigning King, now 60 years old, had given up all hopes of having male offspring, and Frederick's father, Prince Christian, cousin of the monarch, had become heir apparent to the crown. The aged King was exceedingly anxious to marry off his two daughters, the eldest already past 30, and no suitor coming from abroad, he offered them to the only disposable male relations at home—the one, the young man just returned from Geneva; and the other, his uncle, Prince Ferdinand. The young Republican Prince would fain have declined the honour of being united to a King's daughter; but a refusal was not permitted to him, and by orders of his father and the King he was married, under strong military escort, to his cousin, the Princess Wilhelmina, on the 1st of November, 1828. Frederick took from the first a strong dislike to his wife, which was greatly increased in time by her haughty disposition, utterly foreign to his own habits. Before long he left his Royal spouse altogether, taking refuge at a mansion, distant from the capital, among his old friends and humble companions. He here made the acquaintance, for the first time, of Louise Rasmussen, a sprightly little damsel of 16, the daughter of a poor tradesman, but with some education and more grace and mother-wit. Such society was altogether more to his tastes than that of the stiff court of Copenhagen, at which he did not make his appearance for a long time. By a Royal decree of September 10, 1837, he was banished to the fortress of Frederica, in Jutland. Old soldier and sailor friends were not allowed to visit Frederica, and even little Louise Rasmussen could not find her way to the fortress, but with many tears, on the order of her parents, set out on a journey to Paris, where she became an ornament to the *corps de ballet.* A few days after Frederick's arrival at the place of his banishment, a decree of divorce between him and Princess Wilhelmina was issued at Copenhagen.

"The death of the King and the accession of his father to the throne released Prince Frederick from prison at the end of little more than two years, and he was then appointed governor of the island of Funen. But being inclined to fall again into his old ways of living, his Royal father soon after insisted that he should marry once more, and after some negotiations, Princess Caroline of Mecklen-Strelitz was chosen to be the second wife. In the full bloom of youth, very pretty, and highly accomplished, it was hoped that she would wean Prince Frederick from his low-born companions, and bring him back to Court and to a sense of his Crown-princely duties. But this the young Princess signally failed to do. Frederick, although he acknowledged her to be prettier, thought her as proud as his first wife, and before long absented himself more than ever from the Court and his new home. What, probably, greatly contributed to this estrangement was an accidental meeting with an old friend of his youth, Louise Rasmussen. Poor Louise had seen hard times since she left Denmark for France. Though an ornament, for some years, of the Paris *corps de ballet,* she was soon shelved on the appearance of greater ornaments, and had to content herself with becoming a member of a wandering troupe of actors, dis-

[*Concluded on last page.*]

New Advertisements.

WILLIAM CLARKSON,
REAL ESTATE AGENT,
AUCTIONEER,
Collector of Accounts,
AND GENERAL AGENT.

THE SUBSCRIBER, from five years' experience in this Colony, feels confidence in offering his services in any of the above lines of business.

Particular attention will be paid to purchasing, selling and leasing property, negotiating loans and transacting general Real Estate business.

UNEXCEPTIONABLE REFERENCES given when desired.

OFFICE---On Columbia Street.

WILLIAM CLARKSON.

New Westminster, B. C., Dec. 11, 1863. de12-tc

WOODCOCK & HAND,
[Late W. BLACKEE]
BLACKSMITHS, &c.,
New Westminster, B. C.

WOODCOCK & HAND respectfully beg to inform the inhabitants of New Westminster that they have taken over the above business, and are now prepared to execute with dispatch all orders with which they may be favored.

New Westminster, October 29, 1863. oc31-tc

HICK'S HOTEL!
SMITH & BRIDGMAN,
Proprietors.

THE SUBSCRIBERS, having purchased the establishment hitherto known as "HARDIE'S HOTEL," and having thoroughly renovated and re-furnished it, are now prepared to accommodate regular boarders and transient visitors upon reasonable terms.

THE BAR
Will be constantly supplied with the choicest
LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

SMITH & BRIDGMAN.

New Westminster, B. C., Sept. 25, 1863. se26-tc

CITY BAKERY
—AND—
COFFEE SALOON.

THE UNDERSIGNED begs to inform his friends, and the public generally, that he has removed to his new and commodious establishment on the

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where he hopes to receive from a generous and discriminating public an extended patronage, commensurate with his increased facilities for accommodating them.

Coffee, Tea, Chocolate, Pies and Cakes,
supplied at all hours, and at reduced rates.

☞ Orders for WEDDINGS and PARTIES promptly attended to.

JOSEPH SOREL.

New Westminster, March 3, 1863. ma4

To the Nervous and Debilitated.

DR. CURTIS, author of the Medical Treatise, "MANHOOD: the Cause of its Premature Decline," &c., will, on receipt of $1, send per return of mail, to any part of the Province, his invaluable remedy for the cure of seminal weakness, or Spermatorrhœa, &c., together with full instructions. All who are suffering from nocturnal emissions, should immediately procure the above remedy, which Dr. C. guarantees will cure any case under seven years standing, in eight days.

Address Dr. RALPH CURTIS, M.R.C.S. & P., Box 773 P. O. Toronto, C. W.

N. B.—All letters must invariably be addressed "Dr. RALPH CURTIS," to avoid mistake, otherwise disappointment may be caused.

Toronto, Sept. 1863. no14-3m

W. J. ARMSTRONG,
COLUMBIA STREET,
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.,
IMPORTER,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, AND
Oilman's Stores,

Would call the particular attention of Up-river Merchants, Steamboat Owners and others to his Stock, and ascertain the prices before purchasing elswhere.

N. B.—**Fresh Garden Seeds** Just received and for sale.

W. J. ARMSTRONG.

New Westminster, March 27th, 1863. ma28-tc

New Advertisements.

EXPRESS.

DIETZ & NELSON'S
British Columbia & Victoria Express,
CONNECTING AT VICTORIA WITH
Wells Fargo & Co.,
FOR
CALIFORNIA, OREGON, ATLANTIC STATES & EUROPE;
AND AT YALE AND LILLOOET WITH
BARNARD'S CARIBOO EXPRESS,
FOR
Cariboo and the Northern Mines,

CONVEYING Treasure, Valuables, Letters, Packages and Parcels;
PURCHASING of Drafts and Bills of Exchange from Wells Fargo & Co., and other Banking Houses;
COLLECTING Drafts, Notes of Hand, Debts, &c.
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FORWARDING of Merchandise, Packages, Parcels, &c;
ATTENDING to the Registration of Mortgages, Deeds, and other Documents, the Assaying of Gold Dust, Silver and other Ores;
PARTICULAR attention given to the purchasing of Goods at New Westminster, B. C., and Victoria, V. I., on the most favorable terms, and shipping to destination;
LANDING WARRANTS Prepared and Goods passed through the Custom House without delay.

New Westminster, March 13th, 1863. ma14 tc

ERNEST PICHT,
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.,
IMPORTER AND DEALER IN
Spirits, Wines, Ales and Segars.

BRANDIES—French, H. & F. Martell, Pelevoisin and American in bulk and cases;
RUM—Jamaica and other brands;
WHISKEY—Scotch, Irish, Bourbon and Monongahela in bulk and cases;
GIN—Holland in bulk and cases;
OLD TOM—Different brands;
WINES—Port, Sherry, California wines, various brands;
CHAMPAGNE, PORTER & ALES—Different brands;
SYRUPS & BITTERS—All kinds;
HAVANNA SEGARS—Different brands.

ERNEST PICHT,
New Westminster, B. C.,
Brewer and Maltster,
AND DEALER IN
Brewer Stock;
DISTILLER
AND DEALER IN
DOUBLE REFINED SPIRITS,
40° over proof, superior to any;
—ALSO,—
REFINED ALCOHOL!!
in Tins, 95 per cent.

****Chronicle* and *Colonist* please copy. ap15-6m

MANHOOD
—AND—
THE VIGOR OF YOUTH RESTORED!
IN FOUR WEEKS, BY
DR. SICOTTE'S ESSENCE OF LIFE.

DR. SICOTTE (OF PARIS) AFTER YEARS OF earnest solicitation, has at length acceded to the urgent request of the American public, and appointed an Agent in Toronto for the sale of his valued and highly prized Essence of Life. This wonderful agent will restore Manhood to the most shattered constitutions, whether arising from excesses, the effects of climate, or natural causes. The time required to cure the most inveterate case is four weeks; and, if used according to printed instructions, which are very simple, failure is impossible. This life-restoring remedy should be taken by all about to marry, as its effects are permanent. It is acknowledged by the medical press to be the greatest discovery ever made. Its developing powers are miraculous. Success, in every case, is as certain as that science overthrows ignorance.

Dr. Sicotte's Essence of Life is sold in cases, with full instructions for use, at $3, or four quantities in one for $9, and will be sent to any part, carefully packed, on receipt of remittance to his accredited agent.

JAMES HIBBERT,
King Street, Toronto, C. W.

Toronto, Sept. 1863. no14-3m

ANDERSON & Co.,

HAVE NOW IN STOCK and will keep continuously Byass Porter and Ale, Martell and other Brandies, Scotch Whiskey, Rum, &c.

oc31 WHARF ST., VICTORIA.

New Advertisements.

TILTON & McFARLAND'S
NEWLY IMPROVED
Fire and Burglar Proof
SAFES AND VAULTS.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN APPOINTED sole Agents for Vancouver Island and British Columbia for the above mentioned celebrated Safes and Vaults, now beg to intimate that they have always an assortment on hand for sale.

Persons wishing to be secure in their possession of

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should lose no time in supplying themselves with one of Tilton & McFarland's Fire and Burglar Proof Safes or Vaults.

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Pipes, Perfumery, Notions, &c., &c.,

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no25-1m No 12 Yates st., Victoria, V. I.

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING REFITTED THE
PEMBERTON HOUSE,
FOR THE
Accommodation of Travellers,
WITH
BEDS AND LIQUORS,

AND having engaged the best Cooks on the Pacific Coast, are prepared to furnish the travelling public with all the comforts and luxuries of a FIRST-CLASS HOTEL, at greatly reduced rates.

N. B.—Travellers will find it to their advantage to patronize this House, as none but the best of everything will be furnished.

P. SMITH & CO.

Pemberton, Sept. 12th, 1862. se13

G. VIGNOLO & CO.,
No. 2, Reid's Block, Wharf Street,
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,
—ALSO—
Importers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and receive direct shipments of Havana Cigars by every steamer. jy12

Mrs. KIRKWOOD,
DRESS MAKER,
OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE,
Spalding Street, New Westminster, B. C.

☞ The latest **Ladies' Fashions** from **Paris** on hand, an inspection of which is respectfully invited ma18 1m

THE ORIGINAL
PIONEER
GOVERNMENT BAKERY
Lytton Square, New Westminster.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having taken over the above business from Mr. P. Hick, hopes, by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of public patronage.

☞ Orders for WEDDINGS and PARTIES promptly attended to.

W. HARVEY.

New Westminster, Dec. 4, 1863. de5-tc*

THE PROPRIETORS
OF THE
COLUMBIA HOTEL!
Columbia Street, New Westminster,

BEG TO INFORM THEIR FRIENDS and the Traveling Public that there will be every attention received at the above Hotel.

MEALS AT ALL HOURS.

The substantials and delicacies of the season will always be found on the Table, and every possible comfort afforded to the Traveler.

P. S.—The Bar will be supplied with the best of Liquors.

DEAS, DAWSON & CO.,
Proprietors.

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COAL! COAL!!

FOR SALE!—The cargo of the schooner "Meg Merrilies," in quantities to suit, at $13 per ton.

L. HOYT.

New Wesnminster, Dec. 4, 1863. de5-tc

Victoria Advertisements.

THE
Royal Insurance Company.
—FOR—
Fire & Life Insurance.
CAPITAL - - - - - Ten Million Dollars!

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CHAIRMAN,
Charles Turner, Esq., M. P.
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Ralph Brocklebank, Esq., & E. Johnston, Esq.
MANAGER AND ACTUARY,
PERCY M. DOVE, ESQ.

THE DIRECTORS HAVE APPOINTED the UNDERSIGNED their Agents for

Vancouver Island & British Columbia,

and will now accept proposals for Insurance both in the

Fire and Life Departments.

They feel confident that the known Standing and Character of this Office, the sound principles on which it is established and the magnitude of its resources, will obtain for it a fair share of public patronage.

James Dickson, Esq., M. D., has been appointed Medical Examiner to the Life Branch.

ANDERSON & CO.,
Wharf Street.

Victoria, 20th January, 1863. ja24

BALMORAL SEED STORE
—AND—
Nursery Depot,
FORT STREET.

MY STOCK OF SEEDS, TREES, PLANTS, &c., being now very complete, Farmers and Merchants are invited to call and examine for themselves. Country and British Columbia Merchants supplied at the lowest wholesale rates.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS & MACHINES.

THE SUBSCRIBER, having been appointed Agent for some of the Largest Importers and Best Manufacturers of AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS & MACHINES in San Francisco, is prepared to supply all sorts of Agricultural Implements and Machines at a small advance on San Francisco prices. Parties wanting Patent Hay Presses, Mowing and Reaping Machines, Fanning Mills, Ploughs, Harrows, Scythes or any other Implement or Machine will do well to send their orders. Parties ordering will require to remit with the order about one-fifth of the value of the machine to pay Freight.

J. BEGG,

ap18 tc *Balmoral Nursery Depot, Fort St., Victoria.*

J. H. BROWN & J. ELLARD

BEG TO INFORM THEIR FRIENDS AND THE Public generally that they have taken of Mr. J. T. Scott, for a term of years, the well-known and old-established

Pioneer Billiard Saloon!
On Lytton Square,

and hope, by strict attention, the very best quality of Liquors, and a comfortable and well-regulated Saloon, to merit a share of Public patronage.

The Billiard Tables are Phelan's best, and the Saloon is everything that can be desired for a quiet game.

New Westminster, October 30, 1863. oc31

REMOVED!
J. A. WEBSTER
Has removed to his new Stone
au Building. 26

MUSIC! MUSIC!!

JUST RECEIVED, a choice lot of SHEET MUSIC, at CLARKSON & Co.'s.

DIARIES! DIARIES!!

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF DIARIES FOR 1864, at CLARKSON & Co.'s. oc31

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VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND.

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☞ Copies of this paper can be had at the Book Store of Messrs. Clarkson & Co., Columbia-street.

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Transient Advertisements, 2 inches and under, $2 first insertion, and one dollar each subsequent insertion. Over two inches, $1 per inch for first insertion, and half a dollar for each subsequent insertion. Special contracts with regular advertisers.

Advertisements in order to ensure insertion, should be sent in before noon of the day before publication.

All Advertisements for insertion in the BRITISH COLUMBIAN must be paid in advance. Those for longer periods than one month are required to be paid each month in advance.

All Advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS THIS DAY.

TO CONTRACTORS—J McIlveen.

The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, FEB. 6, 1864.

THE TARIFF

We once more venture to draw the attention of our readers to a subject which has become almost stereotyped in these columns, at the risk of being considered tiresome, because we feel convinced that it is fraught with the most vital importance to this Colony at the present juncture. With the exception of gold British Columbia is at present a non-producing country; consequently we have to look abroad for nearly all we consume. It comes, therefore, to be a consideration of no light importance that our imports should reach this Colony as direct as possible from the home markets. Hitherto our supplies have reached us mainly through Victoria, where they are subjected to a tax in one way and another of over 50 per cent. Thus, while our imports reached, in round numbers, $3,000,000 in 1862, one third of that amount, or $1,000,000, was lost to this Colony by being unnecessarily spent in supporting a commercial capital in another Colony, when we might just as well have had these supplies come direct to the Colony where they were consumed. Lest this statement may be discredited by some of our readers we here submit an illustration or two; and, in doing so, we may state that the figures are not our own, but obtained from a gentleman of long and extensive commercial experience in this Colony.

Flour paying 10 per cent. on the cost would at present prices save, by direct shipment from California, the actual cost of freight, charges and profits from Victoria.

EXAMPLE 1.

Flour at Victoria per bbl.	$6 00
Freight on same	30
Wharfage and Drayage	15
Duty.	60
Total,	$7 05
Flour at San Francisco,	$4 00
Freight, drayage and wharfage,	5
Insurance,	8
Freight direct,	30
Duty,	40
Total,	$4 83

Showing in favor of direct importation a balance of $2 22. Whereas specific duties would increase the cost 9 per cent. from California and only 2½ per cent. from Victoria.

EXAMPLE 2.

Dry goods to the value of $1,000 at London, cost, landed at Victoria,	$1,200
Profits at Victoria,	500
Duties, at 20 per cent.	340
Total,	$2040.
Dry goods from London to New Westminster direct cost, landed,	$1250
Duty,	240
Total,	$1490

Showing in favor of direct shipment a balance of $550, made up as follows:

Saving of duties on profits at Victoria,	$100
Profits there,	500
	$600
Less difference of Freight,	50
Total,	$550.

EXAMPLE 3.

Butter at 15 per cent. duty.

One hundred Firkins Butter, 10,000 lbs., at Victoria,	$4,000	
Duties,	600	
Drayage and wharfage,	7	50
Freight,	25	50
Landed at New Westminster from Victoria,	$4,633	00
One hundred Firkins Butter, 10,000 lbs. at San Francisco, 26c. per lb.,	$2,600	
Duties,	390	
Freight,	25	50
Drayage and wharfage,	3	50
Insurance,	50	00
Total,	$3,069	00

Showing in favor of direct shipment a balance of $1,564, or a little more than 50 per cent. on the cost laid down here direct from San Francisco.

We might go on to multiply examples *ad infinitum* with a similar result; but these will suffice to illustrate our subject, and to convince every one possessing practical commercial experience that if the system of *ad valorem* duty upon the purchase Invoice were adopted it would not only materially reduce prices of imported goods in this Colony, but would direct our commerce into its proper channel, and most effectually and speedily put an end to Victoria monopoly, for which we have now to pay so enormously.

We have heard it objected to the *ad valorem* system that it would tend to frauds upon the Customs by producing false Invoices, &c.; but we are persuaded that it is a mere prejudice which would quickly be cured by a little better acquaintance with its workings. In Canada and the Maritime Provinces the duties are, with a few trifling exceptions, charged *ad valorem*, and no such difficulty has ever arisen to such an extent as in the slightest degree to shake confidence in the system. A few such attempts might be made; but the fraud would be easily detected by a proper appraiser; and to make an example of one or two would be to cure the evil most effectually, for the penalty would, of course, be severe. We question very much whether such a system would afford greater facilities for fraud than the existing one. But even if it did the advantages to be gained by the change would far outweigh such an objection. With a Free Port close by, it becomes a *necessity*. We cannot impose differential duties, and we know of no other plan which will meet the exigencies of the case.

New Advertisements.

TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS will be received for the erection of a Pulpit and Schoolroom at the Presbyterian Church, up to the 12th inst., at noon. Plans and Specifications to be seen at Mr. Murray's store.

J. McILVEEN,
Secretary of Committee.
New Westminster, Feb. 5, 1864. fe6-td

COLONIAL HOTEL

GOVERNMENT STREET,
VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND.

S. DRIARD

BEGS TO INFORM the Public of British Columbia, and numerous friends, that he has newly furnished this Hotel in a First Class style; and by his untiring attention guarantees that the accommodation cannot be surpassed. fe3-1m

MUNICIPAL NOTICE!

TO CHOPPERS.

TENDERS are invited until Monday, the 8th instant, for chopping the timber and brushwood on the undermentioned Lots, viz:—

Lot 55, Block V; Lots 11, 18 and 22, Block VII.
Each Lot to be tendered for separately.
Specifications can be seen at this office.

By order,
VALENTINE HALL,
Town Clerk.
Town Clerk's Office, Feb. 2, 1864. fe3-td

LOWE BROTHERS, COMMISSION MERCHANTS

AND IMPORTERS OF

Groceries and Provisions,

—ALSO—

Importers and Agents for the best brands of French Wines and Liquors, and are constantly in receipt of direct shipments of Havanna Cigars.

RIED'S BLOCK, WHARF STREET.
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NOTICE.

WILLIAM WOODCOCK has this day executed a deed of assignment for the benefit of his creditors. All persons to whom the said William Woodcock is indebted are requested to send in their claims to Jules David, or O. Parsons, before the 5th February next, otherwise they will be precluded from any dividend on the estate. The deed is lying for signature at the office of MR. DRAKE,
Solicitor for Assignees.
5th December, 1863, Victoria, V. I. de9

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, "to all whom it may concern," that under the provisions of the "New Westminster Nuisances By-Law," they are prohibited from erecting any Verandah, or projecting covering on any street within the Municipality, without previously laying a plan of the same before the Council, and obtaining their consent to its erection.

By order,
VALENTINE HALL,
Town Clerk.
Town Clerk's Office, October 6, 1863. oc7

Dissolution of Co-partnership.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between McMurphy & Grant, of the "Lochlomond House," is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All debts due to the late partnership are to be paid to, and all liabilities contracted by the said partnership are to be liquidated by, the said

JOHN McMURPHY.
Lochlomond, B. C., Nov. 21, 1863. ja6-1m

NOTICE!

WHEREAS Letters of Administration upon the estate of John Walker, deceased and intestate, have been granted to the subscriber under the seal of the Supreme Court, and dated the 12th December, 1863, all persons having claims against, or indebted to, the estate of the said deceased are hereby required to forward an account of, and to settle, the same, respectively, on or before the 1st of February, 1864. Address, at the Post Office, New Westminster, and after that date, and until the 1st of April next, at Richfield, Cariboo.

ALEXANDER NELSON,
Administrator.
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TO LEASE—Lots suitable for business purposes.
J. A. R. HOMER

New Advertisements.

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—OF—
PHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS!
WITH
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—FOR—
PORTRAITS.

TERMS MOST LIBERAL.

Apply at this office.
New Westminster, Jan. 22, 1864. ja23-tc

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POETRY AND FICTION,
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MAPS
OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, & ADMIRALTY CHARTS
of the North-West Coast,
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WRITING PAPERS & MATERIALS,
PRINTERS' STATIONERY & WRAPPING PAPER,
PLAYING AND VISITING CARDS,
Letter, Note and Official Envelopes,
MUSIC & MUSIC PAPER,
DRAWING AND TRACING PAPER AND CLOTH,
DRAWING BOOKS & INSTRUMENTS,
Pocket and Counting House Diaries for 1864.
BLANK, LAW AND SHIPPING FORMS,
Log Books, Time Books, Draft and Note and Order Books,
Shipping Receipts
CASH BOXES, EYELET MACHINES
And a variety of other Fancy and Staple Stationery, and a good assortment of
GOLD PENS AND
POCKET CUTLERY.
LATEST PAPERS & PERIODICALS
Received by every Steamer.
DEPOSITORY OF THE
BRITISH COLUMBIA BIBLE SOCIETY.
ja16 COLUMBIA STREET. tc

LOCHLOMOND HOUSE!

AT THE
Seventy-four-mile Post
ON THE
Lillooet-Alexander Road.

THE PROPRIETOR calls the attention of travellers to Cariboo to this House, which is just opened for the travelling public, where GOOD MEALS can be had at all hours, with all the delicacies of the season.

THE BAR

will contain CIVILITY, and the best

LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

This is the first house within 15 miles where good water can be obtained, and, being 27 miles above the Junction, affords a comfortable and convenient stopping place.

Packers, Stagers and Teamsters are informed that they will find good stabling and the best of provender, as well as an excellent run for cattle on the grounds.

The strictest attention will be paid to the comfort of those who may patronize the Lochlomond House.

JOHN McMURPHY.
Lochlomond, British Columbia, March, 1863. tc.

THOMAS ARGYLE,
GUNSMITH
—AND—
GENERAL JOBBING SMITH,
FRONT STREET, NEW WESTMINSTER,
(IN MR. HOMER'S LATE OFFICE.)

T. ARGYLE respectfully begs to announce to the inhabitants of New Westminster and its vicinity that he is prepared to execute with neatness and dispatch all kinds of work in the above lines.

RIFLES, FOWLING PIECES & PISTOLS cleaned and kept in repair on the most reasonable terms.
New Westminster, Dec. 29, 1863. de30-tc

New Advertisements.

NEW STORE!

NEW GOODS & GOOD GOODS!

THE UNDERSIGNED, having commenced business in the Store formerly occupied by Dr. Jones, and directly opposite the COLONIAL HOTEL, would beg to call the attention of the people of New Westminster, and the Public generally, to their Large and Choice assortment of Goods, just received, which will be sold at the LOWEST POSSIBLE FIGURES. The Stock consists in part of

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A LARGE AND CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF

Ladies' Gents' & Children's Boots & Shoes

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, SIZE, PRICE & QUALITY.

An early call will convince those who wish to purchase that now is the time for Bargains.

CLUTE & MAJOR.
New Westminster, Dec. 4, 1863. de5-tc

BENSON'S WATCHES AND CLOCKS.

WATCH AND CLOCK MAKER, BY SPECIAL APPOINTMENT, TO HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES.

Opinions of the London Press upon Benson's Great Clock and Watches in the Exhibition, 1862.

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Patent Lever, jewelled	12 12	15 15	5 5	6 6
Do. do. 4 jewels	16 16	19 19	7 10	8 10
Do. do. finely finished, 6 jewels	19 19	23 0	8 10	9 10
Do. do. extra, 8 jewels	24 0	27 0	9 10	10 10
¾ Plate Lever, jewelled	15 15	18 18	9 9	10 10
Do. do. 6 jewels	19 19	23 0	10 10	11 11
Do. do. 8 jewels	24 0	27 0	12 12	13 13
Do. do. extra, 10 jewels	28 0	32 0	17 17	18 18
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BENSON'S INDIAN WATCH.—A first-class London-made Lever, Compensation-balance, adjusted for hot climates:
Silver Cases, Open Face, £11 11. Hunters, £12 12
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Post-office Orders, Bankers' Drafts, or Bills upon London Houses must be made payable and addressed to

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WATCH & CLOCK MANUFACTORY,
33 & 34, LUDGATE HILL, LONDON.
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Wm. H. Rowling,

IN RETURNING THANKS for past favors, begs to inform his friends and the public generally that in future he intends to keep on hand a stock of

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.,

which will be selected with the greatest care, and sold at prices that will compete with those of any house in New Westminster.

In addition he begs to inform those who are fond of a suburban walk and a glass of good ale, that they will always find the best of attention at

THE RETREAT.

WINES, LIQUORS & CIGARS,
OF THE BEST QUALITY.

All orders punctually attended to.
Goods delivered free of charge.

TERMS CASH.

Sapperton, N. W., 22nd December, 1863. de23-tc

New Advertisements.

LADIES' SCHOOL

MRS. MORESBY is prepared to receive a few Young Ladies as boarders. Parents entrusting their children to her care may be assured that they will enjoy all the comforts of a home. Boys under eight years of age received.

TERMS:—$30 a month, payable in advance, which will include the usual routine of an English Education, Writing and Arithmetic.

French, Music, and other accomplishments extra.

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HOPE,—The Rev. A. C. Pringle.
YALE,—The Rev. H. Reeve, and E. H. Sanders, Esq., Resident Magistrate.

New Westminster, B. C., Nov. 10, 1863. no11-3m

MACLURE & TURNBULL,
(LATE OF THE ROYAL ENGINEERS.)

Surveyors, Civil Engineers, Auctioneers, Land and General Agents,

OFFICE ON COLUMBIA ST., NEW WESTMINSTER,
Opposite Mr. Holbrook's Store.

THE SUBSCRIBERS, in devoting attention to the above branches of business believe that, from many years service in various parts of the British Empire, they possess such a thorough knowledge of the Surveying and Engineering profession as will warrant them in soliciting public patronage.

JOHN MACLURE,
JAMES TURNBULL.
New Westminster, B. C., November 2d, 1863. no4-tc

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CUNNINGHAM BROS.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED, FROM SAN FRANCISCO Direct, a large and well selected Stock of

HARDWARE, STOVES, COAL OIL, COAL OIL LAMPS & CHIMNEYS.

ALSO,

A FULL AND COMPLETE SET OF TINNER'S TOOLS AND MACHINES;

And having secured the services of a first class tinsmith they are prepared to contract for

Roofing, Gutters, Leaders, and Plumbing of all Descriptions.

☞ Jobbing attended to with NEATNESS & DISPATCH. Orders from the Interior promptly executed.

They have also received, direct from England, Ex Ship "Dusty Miller,"

Spear & Jackson's Hand, Pannel, Ripping and Crosscut Saws;
Taper, and Mill Saw Files;

Curtis & Harvy's Blasting and Sporting Powder.

New Westminster, October 27, 1863. oc28-tc

THE FRANKLIN HOUSE!

[Next door to the Pioneer Saloon]

Front Street, New Westminster

THE SUBSCRIBERS, having purchased the above establishment and re-furnished it complete, are now ready to receive Boarders and Lodgers. The beds will be looked after by Mrs. M., so that strangers and visitors can rely upon being comfortably accommodated.

MEALS AT ALL HOURS,
served up in every style.

Private Dinners and Suppers Punctually Attended to, &c., &c.

MUSSELWHITE & DAVIS,
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New Westminster, October 30, 1863. oc31-tc

BROKENBROW & ARMSTRONG,

HAVING PURCHASED THE BUTCHERING BUSINESS of CLARK & Co., hope, by strict attention to business, and keeping constantly on hand meat of the best quality, to merit a share of Public patronage.

Stand.—On Columbia Street, opposite Mr. Holbrook's stone building.

New Westminster, Nov. 16, 1863. no18-tc

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Tailor and Clothier,
Two Doors East of the Colonial Hotel,
Columbia Street.

ALL ORDERS entrusted to his care promptly attended to, and work finished in the latest style. d3

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IS NOW PREPARED TO DRAW UP PLANS OF Buildings, Specifications, Estimates, &c., on the SHORTEST NOTICE.

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QUARTZ LODE.

A GENTLEMAN representing capital is desirous of information from any parties who can treat for the sale of an auriferous QUARTZ LODE, accessible to heavy machinery, in the Colony of British Columbia. It must have been proved to be extensive, with a good legal claim. Address—"B. N. A.," care of W. E. Cormack, New Westminster. de16-1m*

NOTICE.

IF —— BAREFIELD, who authorized me to pay a reward of Fifty Dollars, on two strayed Horses, at the Four-mile Creek, near Quesnelle Mouth, does not claim them before the 14th of February, next ensuing, they will be sold to pay expenses.

SAMUEL MORROW.
Yale, 18th January, 1864. ja23-td

Important to Business Men in Victoria, California, Portland, and Places on the Sound!

THE JOURNAL is the only newspaper published in British Columbia; is read by every business man from New Westminster to the Rocky Mountains, and is unrivalled as an advertising medium for this Colony. W. F. HERRE, in Victoria, and THOS. BEECK, in San Francisco, are our authorized Agents.

The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, FEB. 6, 1864.

ROAD REPAIRS.

Let new roads in a rough new Colony be ever so well constructed they will need more or less repairs, especially during the first year or two. The Yale-Lytton road has been constructed under very great difficulties and at great expense. Much of it, indeed, was of a character to test engineering skill. It is not at all surprising, therefore, that in some places it should prove defective. We are sorry to hear that slides of greater or less extent have occurred, and that in some places it is rendered almost impassable for traffic. It is of the utmost importance that such defects should be promptly remedied, so that the spring traffic, which is even now setting in, may experience no interruption. It is satisfactory to know that E. H. Sanders, Esq., has gone up for the purpose of inspection, and, we trust, to make arrangements for immediate repairs.

There is one thing in connection with this road which we would desire to impress upon the Executive, viz., the necessity of setting a large force of men to work as early as the season will permit so as to have all obstructions cleared away before the regular spring traffic commences if possible. It should not be forgotten that this road is, in addition to being a great highway to Cariboo, the present means of ingress to the great Shuswap country, which cannot fail to attract a very considerable population during the approaching season; and this consideration enhances the importance of our recommendation, especially as the rush to that new mining district will set in earlier than the annual exodus to Cariboo usually takes place. Indeed we find that even now there is a movement observable in that direction, and we have no doubt that very many of those who have Cariboo as their ultimate destination will start a few weeks earlier and at least give Shuswap a passing call. These considerations ought to have some weight with the Government and induce timely and energetic operations upon the road; for it is most desirable that every possible facility, consistent with other interests and with the state of the revenue, should be afforded this spring's immigration, as well as the means of supplying the mines with food; and to this end it is not only necessary that the work alluded to should be done, but it is *essential* that it should be done *in time*. We understand the Legislative Council have apportioned to the road between Yale and Clinton the sum of $10,000 for this year, but we fancy it will need as many pounds. However, we presume that amount can be supplemented, if a loan is negotiated, which would now appear to be a necessity.

THE CONCERT.

To say that the Concert given on Wednesday evening, in aid of the funds of the Royal Columbian Hospital was a success would be only to express but half the truth. We allude here more to the musical than to the financial part of the occasion. The New Westminster Band performed their part with great credit. But we must confess the musical talent displayed by the lady and gentlemen amateurs entirely took us by surprise, and was, beyond all controversy, superior to anything we have had the pleasure of listening to in either Colony. Several of the pieces brought down the house with the most enthusiastic applause and were loudly encored. The only unsatisfactory feature was a few empty seats. The audience, however, was large as well as highly appreciative; and the Board of Management may fairly congratulate themselves upon so auspicious an opening of the series of Concerts which they have made arrangements to give during the present season.

We should mention that His Excellency Sir James Douglas and suite were present. His Excellency entered the Hall about a quarter past 8 o'clock, the Band playing the National Anthem, and took his seat on a dais, several ladies, his suite, and members of the Legislative Council being seated on either side. It will be quite unnecessary to say anything to induce those who were present on Wednesday night to attend in future; but we should like to see a great many faces which we missed on that occasion, amongst whom we could name several prominent members of the community who, we think, ought to have been willing to give such a cause their countenance, even if it should be at the expense of a little personal inconvenience. We are quite aware of the numerous calls which have been made upon the benevolence of the community during the present season. But the people of New Westminster are liberal to a proverb in sustaining every religious and benevolent cause; and we feel persuaded that giving to such objects will not tend to poverty, but rather the reverse. With such musical talent as we possess in this city it would be difficult, indeed, to hit upon a more successful and happy mode of contributing to the support of an indispensible institution and at the same time affording a most pleasing and agreeable evening's enjoyment. We are not prepared to state when the second Concert of the series will come off; but it will be duly announced.

Legislative Council.

(SECRET.)

The Council met at 3 o'clock on Thursday the 2nd inst. Present, the Honorables Attorney-General, Collector of Customs, C. Brew, P. O'Reilly, H. Ball, J. A. R. Homer, H Holbrook and J. Orr. The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved. Mr. Holbrook presented a petition from the people of Douglas for the improvement of Harrison Rapids. Mr. Homer presented a petition from settlers for the construction of a road from this city to St. Mary's. A communication from His Excellency the Governor was read, giving the amount of tonnage dues collected, amounting to a little over £1800. The subject of telegraph and postal communication with Canada was discussed at some length in Committee of the Whole. The Hon. Collector spoke at considerable length, followed by other members. The general feeling appeared to be that a telegraph alone would not confer such benefit upon this Colony as to justify the payment of £12,500, and that as the Imperial Government would be more benefitted by it than this country the chief part of the expense ought to be borne by that Government. It was also stated by one hon. member that there was little probability of the people of Vancouver Island being able to pay their proportion as they could not pay the Governor's salary, and that it would be premature for us to commit ourselves to the scheme until it was known what Canada and Vancouver would do. If an overland road were coupled with the telegraph scheme it would be strongly supported by the Council. The further consideration of this subject was postponed till the 17th inst., when a resolution will probably be brought in, giving a sort of general reply to the Duke's communication.

NOTICES OF MOTION.

Mr. Holbrook gave notice that on Friday he would inquire whether the Government had received intelligence of a break in the Pemberton Portage road, and if so whether any steps have been taken to repair the same.

Mr. Orr gave notice that he will move for returns of all surveyed lands which have been sold in this Colony.

YESTERDAY'S SITTING.

The Council met at 3 o'clock. Present, the Honorables Attorney-General, Collector of Customs, P. O'Reilly, H. M. Ball, J. A. R. Homer, H. Holbrook and J. Orr. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. The House went into Committee of the Whole upon Mr. Homer's Postal Bill. Considerable discussion took place in the course of which the Hon. Attorney-General showed a decided opposition, but being entirely unsupported by any other member, it was approved of and ordered to be sent to His Excellency with a recommendation to frame a Bill based upon it. It is necessary to state here that it has been decided that all Bills affecting the revenue must emanate from the Government, so that all the House can do respecting such Bills as the one alluded to is to adopt in Committee of the Whole and recommend them as a basis for a Government Bill. The Tariff Bill was again staved off. The supplies were voted, and the House adjourned till the 17th inst. in order to afford the Government time to prepare Bills. The Hon. Attorney-General stated that a Loan Bill was in course of preparation.

THE COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.—We have been obliged to discontinue the publication of the minutes as furnished by the Clerk of the Legislative Council, as they were not in a readable form. The report which we publish to-day, and which we shall continue to publish, unless the outrageous rule excluding our reporter be rescinded, will be from such information as we may be able to gather outside; and if any errors should occur, honorable members will have themselves to blame, as it is our desire to lay before the public a full and authentic report of their proceedings.

N. W. V. RIFLE CORPS.—The progress of this corps, although steady, has been great, the musters are well attended, and consequently an advanced state of efficiency is attained. At the last monthly meeting of the corps it was decided to admit honorary members for the payment of $10 per annum. The description of uniform was also decided upon, and is to be exactly similar to the Rifle Brigade of the line, viz., rifle green with black facings. This week the arms and accoutrements were served out to each member, and on Thursday there was a parade under arms, at which the fatigue jackets which were reserved for the company at the late sale at the Camp were served out. These made a great improvement, and the appearance of the corps was quite soldier-like. To-day 30 rounds of ammunition is to be served to each man.

GREAT BARGAINS.—Mr. M. J. Blackman's sale, which was held on Wednesday and Thursday, will be resumed at 11 o'clock to-day, There are still a number of stoves and quite a variety of other articles on hand, and as all must positively be disposed of to-day very great bargains may be expected.

THE MINING DRAINS ACT.—We publish this Act in another column for the information of such of our readers as are interested in mining operations.

THE STEAMER "HENRIETTA" came down on Wednesday evening, and will shortly resume her trips to Douglas.

THE STEAMER "RELIANCE" left for Yale on Wednesday evening, carrying up quite a number of passengers and considerable freight.

FISH.—Thanks to Mr. Tranfield for a very fine fish. His market is now well supplied with the product of sea and inland streams, as well as game of every description.

PRISON RETURNS.—Mr. Prichard, Governor of the gaol, has kindly furnished us with the following abstract of prison return for the month of January, 1864: In jail on 1st of the month, 16; received during the month, 3; discharged during the month, 2; in jail on the 31st of the month, 17.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

(PUBLIC.)

[FROM OUR OWN VOLUNTEER REPORTER.]

COMEDY HALL,
37th February, 1868.

The Counsilly met at 15 o'clock, pursued by journeymen.

Present, the whole lot. Secret-Monger General under Chair as deciding that Mr. 'Omer stand down and the Counsilly subjourned.

Mr. 'Olbrook asked leave to sit down in his Chair.—Leave refused.

The Deciding Member lifted the Chair.

Mr. O'Reilly dusted the Chair.

Collector of Customs charged duty on the Chair.

Mr. Brew fined the Chair.

Mr Sanders balanced the Chair on his nose.

Mr Orr moved to promote the Drainage of Chairs.

Mr. Ball resolved the Chairs be re-varnished, and each have its owner's coat of armies.

Mr. 'Olbrook came behind the Chair and tumbled the Deciding Member out of the Chair, and broke the Chair, and vowed he was sorry for the Chair, but he was ready to pay for the Chair.—Offer accepted.

The Chairs presumed to stand up again.

Collector of Bustles moved that members all stand on their heads on the Chairs.—Leave granted.

Three or four gave notice of motion and they all moved out, the Government nominees to snicker at the farcical legislation, and the elected members to await the ACTION of their constituents on the Secret Chamber.

Three cheers for Chairs.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL REPORTS.

MR. EDITOR:—

SIR,—Do you intend to persist in publishing the burlesque of a thing you call "Copy of Minutes?" If so I must decline receiving the *British Columbian* any longer, altho' I have subscribed to it from the first number. I cannot consistently support a paper which will make us and our Legislative Council a laughing stock to the world by publishing such a senseless rigmarole. But has the Clerk not been playing upon you? Surely what you have been publishing under that head cannot possibly be a *verbatem* copy from his book. If it is, that book certainly will not be of much practical value as a record of the proceedings of that body, as it would not give the slightest clue to the nature of measures passed, &c. However this may be, I trust that if you cannot obtain a report of the proceedings in a form that will prove interesting, or at least intelligible, to your readers, you will treat the Council with that silent contempt to which their secrecy entitles them at your hands.

AN OLD SUBSCRIBER.

New Westminster, February 4th, 1864.

MR. ORR'S MINING DRAINS BILL.

XXVII VICTORIA NO. 1. "AN ORDINANCE TO PROMOTE THE DRAINAGE OF MINES."

Whereas great inconvenience has been experienced in the prosecution of Mining operations in this Colony, for lack of authority for the creation of Mining Drains, and it is expedient by Statute to provide for the same in manner hereinafter appearing;

Be it enacted by the Governor of British Columbia, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council thereof as follows:—

From and after the date of the passing of this Act,

I. It shall be lawful for the Gold Commissioner of any district in the Colony, upon the application hereinafter mentioned, to grant full license and authority to any Free Miner or Miners, Company or Companies of Free Miners, to enter into and upon any lands in British Columbia, for the purpose of constructing a drain or drains for the drainage of Mining ground; and for that purpose to enter into an agreement or agreements for a Grant or License as hereinafter mentioned, with any Free Miner or Miners, Company or Companies of Free Miners.

II. Every such application as aforesaid shall contain a statement of the extent and nature of the privileges sought to be acquired, and the maximum amount of drainage toll (if any) proposed to be charged for the use or benefit to be made or derived from the drainage works thereby proposed to be constructed.

III. It shall be lawful for the said Gold Commissioner to grant such rights of entry and taking toll as aforesaid, not however exceeding the maximum amount mentioned in such application, for such term of years not exceeding ten years, and to grant such powers of assessing, levying, and collecting such sums of money by way of drainage toll, from all persons using, or in the opinion of the said Gold Commissioner benefitted by such drain or drains, and with, under, and subject to such other terms, conditions, and restrictions as to such Gold Commissioner in his descretion may seem just and reasonable.

IV. No such application for a grant or license, or agreement for a grant or license, shall be received by such Commissioner until he shall have been satisfied that the notice of application, next hereinafter mentioned, has been given.

At least ten clear days notice in writing, of every such intended application shall be given by the applicant or applicants, by affixing the same to some conspicuous part of the ground intended to be affected by such application, and a duplicate of such notice shall be given at the same time, or as near thereto as may be, to the Gold Commissioner.

V. Every such grant or license shall contain covenants by the grantees to construct such drain or drains, and have the same in effective working order, within a time certain to be therein named, and to keep such drain or drains, or such portion or portions thereof as such Commissioner shall from time to time in that behalf prescribe, in thorough working order and repair, and free from all obstructions, and of sufficient size and in all respects proper for efficiently performing the proposed work, with power to the Gold Commissioner from time to time to order any inspection, and, on any complaint, to order any necessary repairs or alterations to be done within a reasonable time, to be limited by him; and if not then done by the grantees, that such repairs or alterations may be handed over by the Gold Commissioner for execution to any other person, persons, or company, being Free Miners. And the costs thereof may be levied by the said Gold Commissioner by sale of all or any part of the property of the grantees, including the said tolls (but subject to the conditions of the grant or license under which the same shall be held), and also covenants to make proper Tap-drains, in a reasonable time, from or into any adjacent claims, upon being required to do so by the owners thereof, or any authorized person or persons on their behalf, and on neglect or default so to do to suffer the parties desirous of such Tap-drains to make them themselves, and in which case the parties so making and using such Tap-drains shall only be chargeable with one-half the usual rates of drainage toll, or such other proportion of toll as the Gold Commissioner shall in that behalf prescribe, and all such other proper covenants, conditions and stipulations as may be introduced by said Gold Commissioner into such grant or license, for ensuring the better construction, maintenance and repairs of the said drains and drainage works, and for the protection of the owners of adjacent claims.

VI. And every such agreement as aforesaid, for any such grant or license as aforesaid, shall be held to include an agreement for such covenants. And every grant of a power to enter any lands in the Colony to make drains, shall include a power to enter and make any Tap-drains as aforesaid; but in the case of Tap-drains, only three days previous notice, affixed as aforesaid, shall be required.

VII. The Gold Commissioner alone, or (if desired by either party) with the assistance of a Jury of five Free Miners, which he is hereby authorized to summon for that purpose, may ascertain whether any and what compensation shall be paid for any damage which may be caused by any such entry or construction as aforesaid; and by any order under his hand prescribe by, or to whom, and when, the same shall be paid.

VIII. Provided, nevertheless, that nothing herein contained shall be deemed or construed to affect, limit or abridge any of the rights of Her Majesty, Her Heirs or Successors, in, or to, any of the Crown lands of this Colony.

IX. And no such grant or license, or agreement therefor, shall be valid unless the same shall contain a reservation of the public rights of way, and water, in such manner, direction and extent as the Gold Commissioner shall from time to time direct.

X. Any person wilfully refusing or neglecting to obey any lawful order of the Gold Commissioner, in relation to any payment of toil or compentation, or to any drain, or other matter, or thing whatsoever, that shall be by him authorized, prescribed, or required to be done in or under this Act, or in or under any Grant, or License, or agreement to be made under or by virtue of this Act, shall on being summarily convicted before any Justice of the Peace or Gold Commissioner, be liable to a fine not exceeding £50, or to an imprisonment not exceeding three calendar months.

XI. Provided nevertheless that in case the Grantees as aforesaid, shall be desirous of abandoning their respective Grants or Licenses as aforesaid, they shall give twenty clear days notice thereof in writing, by affixing the same and delivering a duplicate as hereinbefore mentioned of their intention so to do.

XII. In the construction of this Act the expression "Gold Commissioner," shall be deemed and taken to include Assistant Gold Commissioners, and Justices of the Peace acting as Gold Commissioners, under any special authority, or any other person lawfully exercising the jurisdiction of a Gold Commissioner for the locality referred to.

XIII. This Act may be cited for all purposes as "The Mining Drains Act, 1864."

Read a third time, 30th January, 1864,

CHARLES GOOD,
Clerk to the Legislatie Council.

Received my assent this 1st day of Feb., 1864,

JAMES DOUGLAS,
Governor.

New Advertisements.

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Bills of Lumber, of any dimensions, cut on the shortest notice.

Orders from Shippers or from the Interior are solicited, and will receive prompt and careful attention.

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J. A. WEBSTER & CO.

New Westminster, October 27, 1863. oc28-tc

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PICTURES FRAMED.

New Westminster, Oct. 31st, 1863. no4

NOTICE!

ON THE FIRT INSTANT we transferred to Messrs. Lowe Brothers all our interest in the business heretofore carried on by us as Merchants in Wharf St; and all those who are indebted to us are hereby notified that Messrs. Lowe Brothers are authorized to collect the amounts due to us.

G. VIGNOLO & CO.

Victoria, January 8, 1864.

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New Westminster, Dec. 22, 1863. de23-tc

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Gentlemen's Clothing of every description made to measure.

REPAIRS NEATLY EXECUTED.

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New Westminster, 2nd Nov. 1863. no4-tc

MUNICIPAL NOTICE!

NEW WESTMINSTER
MUNICIPAL LOAN LAW, 1862.

NOTICE is hereby given that tenders will be received by the Municipal Council for the purchase of £2,600 Sterling in Municipal Debentures, of £100 Sterling, each, issued under and by virtue of a By-Law confirmed by His Excellency the Governor of British Columbia, and secured as a first charge on the general revenue of the said City.

The Debentures bear interest at the rate of six per cent., per annum, payable half-yearly, either in London, England, or at the Bank of British Columbia, New Westminster, and shall be redeemable to the amount of £500, on the 1st day of November, A. D., 1870, and so on regularly in succession, the amount of £500 being redeemable on the 1st day of November, in each succeeding year, until the whole are paid

Sufficient Coupons (according to the time the Debentures have to run) will be attached to each Debenture.

Tenders will be received until the 15th day of February, 1864.

Parties desiring information, or making proposals will please address the President of the Municipal Council, New Westminster.

By order,
VALENTINE HALL,
Town Clerk.

Town Clerk's Office,
New Westminster, Dec. 22, 1863. de23-td

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NEW WESTMINSTER, SATURDAY, FEB. 6, 1864.

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seminating dramatic art through the little towns of Germany, Hungary and Bohemia. The speculation, with all its hardships and miseries, proved very unsatisfactory in a pecuniary sense, and Louise Rasmussen was glad to drop off the stage of a destitute Hanoverian village, and to proceed on foot to Hamburg. The wealthy merchant city gave her new friends, among whom she sojourned for another couple of years, and then returned to Copenhagen. Getting to the dangerous boundary of 30, Miss Rasmussen now resolved to become steady, and accordingly settled down as milliner and dressmaker, working for the shops and for any procurable private customers. One evening, coming home late from her work, she was arrested—at least this is the Copenhagen story—by the sight of a fire, and with wonted energy ranged herself among the human chain of assistants whose hands passed the pails of water from the canal to the fire-engine. She had not been there long when she perceived that a gentleman opposite, likewise busy in handing pails, stared very hard at her, as if trying to recognise an acquaintance. She recognized him at once; it was his Royal Highness Prince Frederick, heir to the throne of Denmark. The conflagration being subdued, Prince Frederick gallantly offered his arm to accompany Miss Rasmussen to her humble lodgings, and a few months afterwards, she found herself installed in a pretty little villa on the island of Amager, from which, at the end of a year, she migrated to a larger mansion, with numerous servants about her. Here she had the satisfaction of learning the divorce of Prince Frederick from his second wife, after a union of five years. Princess Caroline returned to Medklenburg-Strettlitz, and Louise Rasmussen was declared *favorite en titre*. King Christian VIII. died on the 20th January, 1848, and the same day his son ascended the throne as Frederick VII. One of his first acts was to elevate Louise Rasmussen to the rank of Baroness Danner, which title was advanced soon after to that of Countess. The matter created some discontent at first among the people, but was judged less severely when it was found that the Royal favourite used whatever influence she possessed for the benefit of the nation. Besides, the King loudly declared more than once that he would prefer a thousand times giving up his throne than separation from his friend. The Countess Danner became almost his sole adviser, and her influence grew to such an extent that she was able to persuade him to make her his lawful wife. The mere announcement of the intention created a storm of indignation throughout the country, leading to protests on all parts, and to strong remonstrances from the Ministers. Nevertheless, Frederick VII. was not to be shaken in his purpose, and, on the 7th of August, 1850, he gave his hand, in the Church of Fredericksborg, to Louise Rasmussen. A short time after, the King, with his consort, visited the southern provinces of Denmark, and, being rather coldly received at one place, his Majesty made a very frank speech at a banquet given in his honour. He told the guests that, though a King, he had by no means given up his privilege as a man to marry the woman he loved best, and that, in the place in which he stood, he looked upon his present wife as the only true friend he possessed in the world. The speech, repeated from mouth to mouth, created a profound sensation, and gradually extinguished the ill-feeling against the Countess. At a later period she was again censured for giving herself too much the airs of a real Queen; but the reproach was deemed venial, in view of what was generally acknowledged—that she was indeed the devoted friend and consort of her Royal husband. She alone succeeded in chasing the spirit of profound dejection which settled upon the King in the later years of his life, under the burden of physical and mental sufferings, as well as political cares. Frederick VII. was thus enabled to become, what his personal enemies do not dispute, the best monarch Denmark has had these hundred years."

Poetry.

Self-Reliance.

When the clouds are lowering o'er thee;
And in loneliness and sorrow
Thou can'st see no star before thee,
Heralding a bright to-morrow;

Let no coward thought persuade thee
To resign a glorious strife—
Ask no *human* friend to aid thee
In the battle-field of life.

In the chambers of thy soul,
Where perchance they've slumbered long,
Thou hast still supreme control
O'er an army brave and strong.

Hope and energies are there,
High resolve and mighty thought;
Brother! why with these despair?
Nobler allies never fought.

Onward, then without a fear;
Rest not, faint not, by the way;
God will make the star appear,
And usher in a brighter day.

During the past season 1,332 sea-going vessels, of an average tonnage of 520 tons, making a total of 692,640 tons have been cleared at Quebec, against 895 vessels, of about the same average, making a total of 463,400 tons during last year, thus showing an increase in favor of 1863 of 437 vessels and 227,240 tons.

The dread of having your name blazoned forth to the world under discreditable circumstances makes more men virtuous than perhaps we would like to acknowledge.

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New Advertisements.

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ADVANCES made on GOODS in BOND, and DUTIES paid on same.

Drafts granted on Victoria, San Francisco & London.

JAS. D. WALKER,
Manager.

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TINNERS, PLUMBERS,

—AND—

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THE SUBSCRIBERS, having fitted up a new Shop on Front Street, and imported a large and varied Stock of the best material, are prepared to execute orders in their line of business with promptitude and in a manner that will ensure satisfaction. They are both practical artizans of long experience, and are determined, by close attention to the wants of their customers and reasonable charges, to establish themselves permanently in New Westminster.

Orders from the Country and Up-river Towns will receive their careful attention.

☞ Tinware and Stove-pipe at greatly reduced prices.

WATERS & DONOVIN.

New Westminster, B. C., Oct. 9, 1863. oc10-tc

New Advertisements.

THE SUFFERER'S BEST FRIEND.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS.

All Disorders affecting the Liver, Stomach and Bowels.

These Pills can be confidently recommended as the most simple and certain remedy for indigestion, flatulency, acidity, heartburn, colic, constipation, and all the many maladies resulting from disordered stomach or bowels. In all diseases it is of primary importance to set the stomach right. These Pills are purifiers, alteratives, and strengtheners of the stomach. They may be taken under any circumstances. Though powerfully tonic, and satisfactorily aperient, they are mild in their operation, and beneficial to the whole system.

Weakness and Debility, Nervous Irritability.

The wholesale effect exercised by these admirable Pills over the blood and fluids generally is like a charm in dispelling low spirits, and restoring cheerfulness. Their general aperient qualities well fit them for a domestic medicine, particularly for females of all ages and periods of life. They never betray any disagreeable irritating qualities; they quickly eject all impurities from the system, and regulate every function of the body, giving wonderful tone and energy to weak and debilitated persons, while they brace and strengthen the nervous system in a most extraordinary manner.

To Regain Health, Strength and Vigour.

Whenever persons find themselves in that state termed a "little out of health," and there are so many causes at work to shorten life, it is necessary that Holloway's Pills, the finest purifier of the blood ever known, should be at once taken, as they not only rid both solids and fluids of all morbid matters, but regulate all disordered actions, and strengthen the frame in a most extraordinary manner.

Old Coughs, Colds and Asthmetical Affections.

These Pills, assisted in their action by rubbing Holloway's Ointment very effectually twice a day upon the throat and chest, and keeping those parts covered with the preparation, will be found the most effectual remedy for asthma, coughs, colds, bronchitis, and influenza. These remedies tranquilize the hurried breathing, soothe the irritated air-tubes, and assist in dislodging the phlegm which stops up the air-passages. This treatment has proved wonderfully efficient in not only curing old settled colds, but asthma of many years standing, and even when patients who were in so bad a state as not able to lie down on their beds lest they be choked with phlegm.

Derangement and Distention of the Bowels, Flatulency Diarrhœa and Dysentery.

Any symptoms of the above complaints should be immediately met by appropriate doses of these Pills, according to the printed directions: delay may be followed by disasterous consequences. These Pills are a certain remedy for all the ailments of the alimentary canal, they secure the thorough digestion of the food, and act most kindly on the stomach, liver, bowels and kidneys. As a household medicine they are unrivalled, and should always be at hand.

Very Important, of Costiveness Beware.

Rarely but little notice is taken of costiveness, yet, at certain periods, it is a sure sign that danger is near. All who are seized with apoplexy and paralysis, have previously suffered from costiveness. In the former case the blood flies to the head, a small vein is ruptured on the brain, and we know the rest. Let wives counsel their husbands, and husbands their wives, never to go to bed a second night, if the bowels have not been properly moved during the day, particularly if they feel heavy and drowsy. A few gentle doses of these fine Pills will regulate the circulation of the blood, and all dangerous symptoms.

Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases:—

Ague	Female Irregularities	Retention of Urine
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Bilious Complaints	Fits	Sore Throats
Blotches on the skin	Gout	Stone and Gravel
Bowel Complaints	Head-ache	Secondary Symptoms
Colics	Indigestion	Tic Douloureux
Constipation of the Bowels	Inflammation	Tumours
Consumption	Jaundice	Ulcers
Debility	Liver Complaints	Venereal Affections
Dropsy	Lumbago	Worms of all kinds
Dysentery	Piles	Weakness, from whatever cause, &c., &c.
Erysipelas	Rheumatism	

Sold at the establishment of PROFESSOR HOLLOWAY, 244, Strand, (near Temple Bar) London: also by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in medicines throughout the civilized world, at the following prices:—1s. 1½d., 2s. 9d., 4s. 6d., 11s., 22s., and 33s. each Box.

*** There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each box. au12

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THE Subscribers flatter themselves that they will give entire satisfaction to all who may favor them with their patronage. A stock of the choicest

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Boston Bar, B. C., June 25, 1861. je27

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☞ Good Stabling, and Horses constantly on sale at low prices.

Lytton City, November 10, 1862. no12

New Advertisements.

ALL CURES MADE EASY!!

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT.

Bad Legs, Ulcerous Sores, Bad Breasts and Old Wounds.

No description of wound, sore, or ulcer can resist the healing properties of this excellent Ointment. The worst cases readily assume a healthy appearance whenever this medicament is applied; sound flesh springs up from the bottom of the wound, inflammation of the surrounding skin is arrested, and a complete and permanent cure quickly follows the use of the Ointment.

Piles, Fistulas and Internal Inflammation.

These distressing and weakening diseases may with certainty be cured by the sufferers themselves, if they will use Holloway's Ointment, and closely attend to the printed instructions. It should be well rubbed upon the neighbouring parts, when all obnoxious matter will be removed. A poultice of bread and water may sometimes be applied at bed time with advantage; and most scrupulous cleanliness must be observed. If those who read this paragraph will bring it under the notice of such of their acquaintances whom it may concern, they will render a service that will never be forgotten, as a cure is certain.

Rheumatism, Gout & Neuralgia.

Nothing has the power of reducing inflammation and subduing pain in these complaints in the same degree as Holloway's cooling Ointment and purifying Pills. When used simultaneously they drive all inflammation and depravities from the system, subdue and remove all enlargement of the joints, and leave the sinews and muscles lax and uncontracted. A cure may always be effected, even under the worst circumstances, if the use of these medicines be persevered in.

Eruptions, Scald Head, Ringworm & other Skin Diseases.

After fomentation with warm water, utmost relief and speediest cure can be readily obtained in all complaints affecting the skin and joints, by the simultaneous use of the Ointment and Pills. But it must be remembered that nearly all skin diseases indicate the depravity of the blood and derangement of the liver and stomach, consequently, in many cases, time is required to purify the blood, which will be effected by a judicious use of the Pills. The general health will be readily improved, although the eruption may be driven out more freely than before, and which should not be promoted; perseverance is necessary.

Sore Throats, Diptheria, Quinsey, Mumps & all other Derangements of the Throat.

On the appearance of any of these maladies the Ointment should be well rubbed at least three times a day upon the neck and upper part of the chest, so as to penetrate to the glands, as salt is forced into meat: this course will at once remove inflammation and ulceration. The worst cases will yield to this treatment by following the printed directions.

Scrofula or King's Evil and Swelling of the Glands.

This class of cases may be cured by Holloway's purifying Pills and Ointment, as their double action af purifying the blood and strengthening the system renders them more suitable than any other remedy for all complaints of a scrofulous nature. As the blood is impure the liver, stomach and bowels, being much deranged, require purifying medicine to bring about a cure.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:—

Bad Legs.	Chapped Hands,	Scalds.
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Burns.	Elephantiasis.	Sore-throats.
Bunions.	Fistulas.	Skin-diseases.
Bite of Mosquitoes and Sand-Flies.	Gout.	Scurvy.
Coco-bay.	Glandular Swellings.	Sore-heads.
Chiego-foot.	Lumbago.	Tumors
Corns (soft).	Piles.	Ulcers.
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Bills of Lumber cut on the shortest notice, and orders from the interior promptly attended to.

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New Advertisements.

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The BAR will contain the choicest LIQUORS, while the TABLE will be constantly supplied with the substantials as well as the delicacies of the season.

N. B.—Good, clean Sleeping Apartments connected with the Hotel.

L. DAVISON,
Manager.

Fort Yale, B.C., March 27th, 1863. ma28-tc

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CORDIALS, BITTERS, &c.,

which they will sell by the bottle, gallon, or in case.

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Havanna, Manilla and Cheroots.

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W. WOODMAN.

New Westminster Feb. 1861. fy 12-1m

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